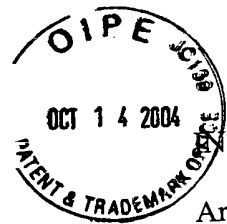


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SIR:

Responsive to the Official Action of June 18, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendment to the specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

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